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SUBJ: USUN DAILY CLASSIFIED SUMMARY NO. 026

CHINA AND WORLD DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE (WDC) AD HOC COMITE--
CHINA "GENERALLY SPEAKING " DOES NOT INTEND TO ATTEND MEETINGS
OF WDC AD HOC COMITE BUT PLANS MAINTAIN CONTACT IN APPROPRIATE
WAY, LIN FANG (PRC) TOLD MISOFF. HE STOPPED SHORT OF
SAYING FLATLY CHINA WOULD NEVER PARTICIPATE BUT THOUGHT IT UNLIKELY
HIS DEL WOULD ATTEND FIRST MEETING. (CONFIDENTIAL --OUR TEL 451)

REDUCTION OF MILITARY BUDGETS (ROB) EXPERTS GROUP --
PARIS REAFFIRMED DECISION NOT TO SUPPLY EXPERT FOR ROB STUDY
GROUP, SCALABRE (FRANCE) REPORTED. COPENHAGEN REPLIED IT DOES NOT
HAVE QUALIFIED EXPERT TO SEND. UKUN STILL AWAITING WORD FROM LONDON.
SOME INDICATION WHETHER OTTAWA MIGHT BE WILLING TAKE ANOTHER LOOK AT
QUESTION EXPECTED BY FEB.1 15, USUN LEARNED. (CONFIDENTIAL --OURTEL
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UNRWA FINANCIAL --
UNRWA DEPUTY CONGEN KONTOS TOLD AMB SCHAUFLE, AND LATER
UNRWA WORKING GROUP, THAT DUE TO CURRENCY REVALUATIONS,
INFLATION AND OCTOBER WAR, UNRWA'S 1973 DEFICIT WAS \$4.5 MILLION
AND \$78 MILLION 1974 BUDGET WAS \$12.5 MILLION
MORE THAN CURRENT ANTICIPATED CONTRIBUTIONS. UNLESS
ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOUND REDUCTION OF SERVICES (PRINCIPALLY
EDUCATION, WITH SOME HEALTH AND WELFARE SERVICES) WOULD
BEGIN MIND-MARCH, HE SAID. COMMENTING TWO AREAS WHERE
THERE MIGHT BE "GLEAM OF HOPE" WERE USG AND EEC, KONTOS RELATED
SEN. ABOUREZK'S EFFORTS AND NOTED
POSSIBLE \$4.5 MILLION EEC DONATION FOR EDUCATION. NO
ENCOURAGEMENT HAD BEEN RECEIVED FROM APPROACHES TO SAUDI
ARABIA, QATAR, HEAD OF ARAB LEAGUE, OR UN MISSIONS OF KUWAIT AND
LIBYA. WHEN ASKED IF WG APPROACH IN WASHINGTON WOULD BE USEFUL,
US REP REPLIED HE COULD NOT SAY AT PRESENT BUT
IT WAS IMPORTANT TO MAKE GENERAL APPEAL TO UN MEMBERSHIP
AND NOT PLACE OVER-RELIANCE ON USG OF SEN. ABOUREZK'S
EFFORTS. WG MEETING CONCLUDED WITH DECISION
CHAIRMAN OLCAY (TURKEY) WOULD ASK SYG TO ISSUE
URGENT APPEAL FOR ADDITIONAL FUNDS AND CHAIRMAN WOULD MAKE
PERSONAL APPEALS TO EACH OF UN REGIONAL GROUPS IN NY.
SYG SENT THROUGH USUN LETTER TO SEC'Y KISSINGER
REQUESTING USG CONSIDER MAKING
EXTRAORDINARY ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTION TO UNRWA IN VIEW OF ITS
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PRECARIOUS FINANCIAL SITUATION.
ACCORDING TO SYG'S OFFICE, THIS IS ONLY INDIVIDUAL APPEAL
SENT BY SYG. (LIMITED OFFICIAL USE --OURTELS 450, 454)
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WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE PREPARATORY COMITE --
COMITE BEGAN FIRST SESSION FEB. 11, AND IN A.M.
ELECTED RYDBECK (SWEDEN) AS CHAIRMAN AND ADOPTED AMENDED AGENDA.
MARTIN (US) ASKED WHETHER CHAIRMAN WAS TO SERVE FOR ONE SESSION OR

UNTIL CONFERENCE HAD TAKEN PLACE, ADDING HE THOUGHT IT ILLOGICAL AND INCONSISTENT WITH UN PRACTICE TO CHOOSE CHAIRMAN FOR EACH SESSION. MEGUID (EGYPT), WHO NOMINATED RYDBECK, REPLIED IT WAS HIS DESIRE THAT RYDBECK SERVE FOR ONE SESSION SO REPS FROM OTHER GEOGRAPHICAL REGIONS WOULD HAVE OPPORTUNITY PRESIDE OVER LATER SESSIONS. HOVEYDA (IRAN), WHO SHARED SAME VIEW, REMARKED NEW SITUATIONS HAD ARISEN IN WORLD WHICH COULD NOT BE RESOLVED BY RESORTING TO PAST PRACTICES. COMITE AGREED, AT SUGGESTION OF USYG DE SEYNES, RYDBECK WOULD BE ELECTED TO SERVE FOR THIS SESSION AND CONSULTATIONS WOULD BE HELD AFTER MEETING ON WHETHER OFFICERS WOULD SERVE FOR ONLY ONE OR ALL THREE SESSIONS. WFC WYG MAREI APPEALED "VIGOROUSLY" FOR "BUSINESS-LIKE APPROACH" BOTH IN PREPCOM PAHSE AND DURING CONFERENCE ITSELF.

COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS --
DRAFT RES (L.1268) ON HR VIOLATIONS IN ISRAELI-OCCUPIED TERRITORIES WAS ADOPTED 21-1 (NICARAGUA) -8(AUSTRIA, FRANCE, ITALY, NETHERLANDS, NORWAY, PANAMA, UK, US) BY COMMISSION FEB.11. IT CALLS INTER ALIA ON ALL STATES TO SEE THAT ISRAEL "DESISTS FROM ALL ACTS AND POLICIES AIMED AT CHANGING PHYSICAL CHARACTER AND DEMOGRAPHIC COMPOSITION OF OCCUPIED ARAB TERRITORIES" AND DECLARES ISRAELI POLICY OF ANNEXATION, ESTABLISHMENT OF SETTLEMENTS AND TRANSFER OF ALIEN POPULATION TO OCCUPIED TERRITORIES CONTRAVENES UN CHARTER, INTERNATIONAL LAW AND BASIC HUMAN RIGHTS. RES, WHICH WAS SIMILAR TO ONE APPROVED IN 1973, WAS INTRODUCED BY PAKISTAN FEB. 11 AND COSPONSORED BY EGYPT, INDIA, LEBANON, PAKISTAN, TANZANIA AND TUNISIA.
AT US REQUEST, SEPARATE VOTES WERE TAKEN ON PREAMB PARA 5 AND OP PARAS 1 AND 2, AND BADAWI (EGYPT) ASKED FOR ROLL CALL VOTES. RESULTS WERE: PREAMB PARA 5 (GREATLY ALARMED BY CONTINUED ISRAELI VIOLATIONS OF HR AND
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FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS IN OCCUPIED ARAB TERRITORIES, ...PILLAGING OF ARCHEOLOGICAL AND CULTURAL HERITAGE, ...) 20-2(US, NICARAGUA) -8(AUSTRIA, CHILE, FRANCE, ITALY, NETHERLANDS, NORWAY,

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PANAMA, UK). OP PARA 1 (DEPLORING ISRAEL'S CONTINUED GRAVE
BREACHES OF FOURTH GENEVA CONVENTION...WHICH HAVE BEEN
CONSIDERED BY HRC AS WAR CRIMES AND AFFRONT TO HUMANITY)
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18-4(US, NICARAGUA, AUSTRIA, NORWAY)-8(CHILE, FRANCE,
ITALY, NETHERLANDS, PANAMA, PERU, ROMANIA, UK). OP PARA
2 (DEPLORING ISRAEL'S PERSISTENT DEFIANCE OF RELEVANT RESES
AND CONTINUED POLICY OF VIOLATING BASIC HR OF INHABITANTS
OF OCCUPIED ARAB TERRITORIES) 21-2(US, NICARAGUA)-7

(AUSTRIA, FRANCE, ITALY, NETHERLANDS, NORWAY, PANAMA, UK).
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC AND ECUADOR WERE ABSENT.

ISRAELI OBSERVER DORON DENIED GOI AUTHORITIES VIOLATED HR IN
OCCUPIED TERRITORIES, BUT WAS INTERRUPTED SEVERAL TIMES ON
POINTS OF ORDER BY REPS EGYPT AND IRAQ, WHO OBJECTED TO
REFERENCES TO TREATMENT BY SYRIA OF ISRAELI POWS AS OUTSIDE
SCOPE OF ITEM BEING DISCUSSED.

IN ADDITION TO EGYPTIAN STATEMENT FEB. 8, REPS OF SYRIA,
PAKISTAN, BYELORUSSIA AND IRAN SPOKE ON ITEM. FEB. 11
SPEAKERS WERE: USSR, IRAQ, INDIA, SYRIA, JORDAN, LEBANON,
TUNISIA, BULGARIA, SENEGAL, FRANCE AND PANAMA. ITALIAN REP
EXPRESSED RESERVATIONS, AND VOTES WERE EXPLAINED BY
NETHERLANDS, TURKEY AND ROMANIA.

INCREASING LEBANON-BASED FEDAYEEN ATTACKS INSIDE ISRAEL--

UN CIRCULATED (A/9488; S/11213) ACTING ISRAELI REP DORON'S
FEB. 8 LETTER TO SYG ON FEDAYEEN KILLING OF ISRAELI SOLDIER
NORTH OF KIBBUTZ DAN FEB. 6. (OURTEL 453)

COMITE ON NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS--

BY CONSENSUS, COMITE FEB. 8 ACCEPTED UK PROPOSAL, AMENDED BY
NETHERLANDS, RECOMMENDING COMITE MEET IN 1975 AND THEREAFTER
EVERY TWO YEARS. UK PROPOSAL ALSO ACCEPTED WHICH WOULD ADD
ADDITIONAL QUESTION TO QUESTIONNAIRE SENT NGO'S APPLYING
FOR CONSULTATIVE STATUS CONCERNING RELATIONSHIP, IF ANY,
WITH ORGANIZATIONS ALREADY GRANTED CONSULTATIVE STATUS.
ANOTHER UK PROPOSAL, REJECTED 4(US)6-2, WOULD HAVE RECOMMENDED
SYG REPORT ON RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN WORLD COUNCIL OF CHURCHES
AND ICFTU AND THEIR RESPECTIVE AFFILIATES OR ASSOCIATES IN
CONSULTATIVE STATUS WITH ECOSOC. COMITE AGREED TO UK PROPOSAL
CHAIRMAN CONTINUE CONSULTATIONS WITH SANCTIONS COMITE CHAIRMAN
TO SEEK WAYS OF INVOLVING AND ENCOURAGING NGO'S TO PROVIDE
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INFO AND ASSISTANCE TO SANCTIONS COMITE REGARDING VIOLATIONS
OF SANCTIONS AGAINST RHODESIA. DURING SESSION COMITE RECOMMENDED
THAT 31 ORGANIZATIONS BE ADDED TO LISTS OF THOSE HAVING STATUS
WITH ECOSOC AND THAT SIX OTHERS BE RECLASSIFIED TO HIGHER
STATUS. REPORT WAS DISCUSSED BRIEFLY FEB. 8 AND COMITE DECIDED
TO MEET INFORMALLY FEB. 11 TO ADOPT IT WAS WHOLE.
END UNCLASSIFIED
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